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Mark D. ROBERTS, et al.

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR APPLYING  
DELAY CODES TO PULSE TRAIN  
SIGNALS

Art Unit: 2634

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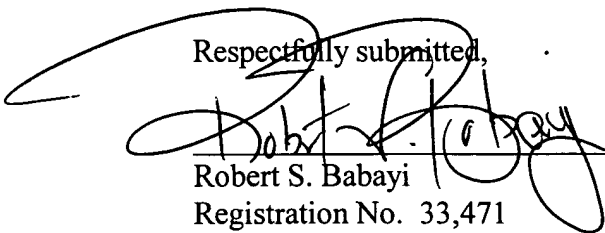
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# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2002

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| Application Number   | 09/878,923              |
| Filing Date          | June 13, 2001           |
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- ☐ Charge Any Additional Fee Required  
Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17  
☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:

☒ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money  
Order ☐ Other

### FEE CALCULATION

#### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large<br>Fee<br>Code | Entity<br>Fee<br>(\$) | Small<br>Fee<br>Code | Entity<br>Fee<br>(\$) | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
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| 101                  | 740                   | 201                  | 370                   | Utility filing fee     |          |
| 106                  | 330                   | 206                  | 165                   | Design filing fee      |          |
| 107                  | 510                   | 207                  | 255                   | Plant filing fee       |          |
| 108                  | 740                   | 208                  | 370                   | Reissue filing fee     |          |
| 114                  | 160                   | 214                  | 80                    | Provisional filing fee |          |

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#### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| Total Claims | Independent Claims | Multiple Dependent | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
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|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|--|
| 103                  | 18                    | 203                  | 9                     | Claims in excess of 20                                     |
| 102                  | 84                    | 202                  | 42                    | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |
| 104                  | 280                   | 204                  | 140                   | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |
| 109                  | 84                    | 209                  | 42                    | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 110                  | 18                    | 210                  | 9                     | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

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| 105                  | 130                   | 205                  | 65                    | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 127                  | 50                    | 227                  | 25                    | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.                    |          |
| 139                  | 130                   | 139                  | 130                   | Non-English specification  |          |
| 147                  | 2,520                 | 147                  | 2,520                 | For filing a request for reexamination                                     |          |
| 112                  | 920*                  | 112                  | 920*                  | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 113                  | 1,840*                | 113                  | 1,840*                | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 115                  | 110                   | 215                  | 55                    | Extension for reply within first month                                     |          |
| 116                  | 400                   | 216                  | 200                   | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 117                  | 920                   | 217                  | 460                   | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 118                  | 1,440                 | 218                  | 720                   | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 128                  | 1,960                 | 228                  | 980                   | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 119                  | 320                   | 219                  | 160                   | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 120                  | 320                   | 220                  | 160                   | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 121                  | 280                   | 221                  | 140                   | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 138                  | 1,510                 | 138                  | 1,510                 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 140                  | 110                   | 240                  | 55                    | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 141                  | 1,280                 | 241                  | 640                   | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 142                  | 1,280                 | 242                  | 640                   | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |
| 143                  | 460                   | 243                  | 230                   | Design issue fee   |          |
| 144                  | 620                   | 244                  | 310                   | Plant issue fee  |          |
| 122                  | 130                   | 122                  | 130                   | Petitions to the Commissioner  |          |
| 123                  | 50                    | 123                  | 50                    | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)                                       |          |
| 126                  | 180                   | 126                  | 180                   | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                                  | 180      |
| 581                  | 40                    | 581                  | 40                    | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |          |
| 146                  | 740                   | 246                  | 370                   | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))              |          |
| 149                  | 740                   | 249                  | 370                   | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))           |          |
| 179                  | 740                   | 279                  | 370                   | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |
| 169                  | 900                   | 169                  | 900                   | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |          |

Other fee (specify)

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